



Welcome to the 66th Annual Redmond Derby Days summer festival. Don't miss all the great festivities at the new City Hall Campus. Use this guide to plan your day. See you there!

# **PARADES**

#### **Redmond Medical Center Kids Parade**

Registration: 9:15am to 9:45am, Redmond Medical Center, 8301 161st Avenue NE

he Kids Parade begins at 10am and concludes at the entrance to the City Hall campus. For 66 years, this tradition has been part of summer in Redmond. Some 1,000+ costumed kids are expected to turn out on bikes, tricycles, wagons, and rollerskates. Come join the fun!

A major decision for paraders is which of the many costume categories to join. Visit www. redmond.gov for a complete list of costume categories.

Courtesy of Clark, Raymond, and Company and Kempf and Company, every child who participates will receive two Sacagawea coins. Children will also receive a water bottle from Evergreen Healthcare and one free carnival ride from First Tech Credit Union.

- NEW ROUTE this year, of .3 mile.
- Children may parade as a family, neighborhood, group or individual.
   There is no judging and every kid is a winner.
- Every child on wheels must wear
   a bicycle helmet. Bike helmets and
   custom fitting is always available at
   the Redmond Town Center Police &
   Fire Community Outreach Substation
   for a minimum of an \$8 cash donation.
- Parents, you are welcome to join the parade regardless of the age of your child. Feel free to dress up and get festive! Young children must have an adult in the parade with them.
- Derby Days is a SEAFAIR sanctioned event, therefore all guns are prohibited. Please, no real or toy guns as part of your costume.
- Pets are welcome, but they must be on a leash.

#### **Venture Bank Grand Parade**

Immediately following the Kids Parade
The Grand Parade, a colorful
medley of floats, bands, and
entertainers, began in the
1950's and is one of the few
events on the Eastside officially
sanctioned by SEAFAIR.

Get together with your friends, families, sports teams and others, decorate a float, and join in on the excitement! For even more fun, gather your entire neighborhood, come together and make new friends! Parade entry forms are available at www.redmond.gov. The deadline to enter is June 20.

For this year's parade, it is an honor to have Scott Macartney, Redmond's own Olympic skier as the Grand Marshal. (see page 20 for his full story)

# **FIREWORKS**

or the first time in the history of Derby Days, Redmond's traditional Fourth of July firework display will be combined with the Derby Days summer festival. Council's decision to combine the Fourth of July fireworks display with Derby Days festivities was made to ensure Derby Days would be even more exciting for the entire family. The Derby Days fireworks spectacle will light up the night sky in a blaze of color at 10pm, concluding the Derby Days summer festival. Plan to bring some warm blankets or coats with you to Derby Days so you can join us, bundle up and enjoy the show!

#### **BICYCLES**

#### **Derby Days Criterium**

Races start at 2pm and run throughout the day until 8:30pm

n its 66th year, America's longest-running bicycle race offers non-stop action. A Criterium is a multi-lap race on a closed course, and laps are typically shorter than one mile. This style of racing has bred a unique athlete, stressing speed and bike handling.

We'll kick off the afternoon with the ever-popular junior racers. Cash prizes totaling more than \$8,000 will be awarded, plus at least \$300 in "primes" and other freebies. Download an entry form at www.redmond.gov.

#### Bike Skillz and Thrillz

Come ride our free bicycle obstacle course with everything from safety lessons to bike jumps and teeter-totters. Bring a bike and helmet. Parents or legal guardians must sign waivers for anyone under 18 years old.

REI will be doing a free bike check station.

Produced jointly by Cascade Bicycle Club Education Foundation, Trips for Kids Seattle, Backcountry Bicycle Trails Club, Single Track Mind Cycling Club, and the Redmond REI.

#### Northwest BMX Stunt Team

Presented by Tenhulzen Remodeling, Inc.
Nick Halsey and Dan Montgomery
have both been pro stunt riders for
six years. Sponsored by Macneil
BMX, they have performed all over
the USA and in Japan, Australia,
England and Canada and they
are now bringing their tricks to
Redmond.





#### **BIKE CHECK-IN**

Located off 85<sup>th</sup> in the entrance to City Hall, Boy Scout Troop 423 will secure temporary storage of your bikes, strollers, backpacks, coats, etc. \$1 suggested donation.









# Event Schedule

# **PARADES**

#### 10am

Redmond Medical Center Kids Parade

Grand Marshal: Amo Marr

#### **Venture Bank Grand Parade**

Following Kids Parade

Grand Marshal: Scott McCartney, Olympic Skier from Redmond

# **FOOD AND BEVERAGES**

Beer & Wine Garden, 12-10pm Food Booths, 10am-10pm

You're sure to find something for every taste in the Derby Days food court.

# **VENDORS**

# 10am-9pm

# Interactive Game Booths

Visit over 40 vendors for wonderful free games and giveaways!

# **FREE FIELD OF FUN!**

#### 10am-10pm

Bring the family and enjoy a great day of fun, free activities.

- Inflatables
- Mini Mountain Climbing Wall
- NEW this year Juggling!
   Learn to juggle in our juggling school.

# **CARNIVAL**

NEW Location next to Redmond Medical Center. Corner of 160th Ave. NE and NE 83rd Street. Rides to thrill and games to test your skill! Save BIG by pre-purchasing your carnival fun passes (see www.redmond.gov).

Friday 5pm — 10pm Saturday 10am — 10pm Sunday 12noon — 5pm

# MICROSOFT ENTERTAINMENT STAGE LIVE MUSIC

# 11:30am — 12pm Linda Severt, Circus in a Blender

Family Entertainer & Musician leapfrog-entertainment.com

12 – 12:40pm

Pop Culture Top 40 Dance Band popcultureband.homestead.com

# 1 – 1:40pm Whiskey Creek

Lynyrd Skynyrd Tribute whiskeycreek.net

#### 2 – 2:40pm Geoffrey Castle Rock n' Roll Fiddle Player

3 - 3:40pm Spazmatics Hi Energy 80's Pop

# 4 - 4:40pm Afrodisiacs Disco Show Group

5:00 - 5:40pm
The Machine Classic Rock n' Roll themachineband.com

## 6 - 6:40pm Big Dog Revue

Seven Piece Dance & Show Band bigdogrevue.com

7 – 7:40pm

Soul'd Out The Hottest Club Band souldoutshow.com

#### 8 – 10pm New Blues Brothers

Jake & Elwood with six-piece band bluespowerevue.com

# NINTENDO FAMILY STAGE FUN FOR ALL AGES

12 – 12:45pm Eric Haines Comedic Juggler & Musician

1 — 1:30pm Mad Science of King County Science Show

1:45 — 2:45pm

Reptile Isle Snakes/Lizards/Turtles

3 - 3:20pm NW BMX Stunt Team Amazing Bike Trick Show

3:30 — 4pm Charlie Brown The Juggling Clown

**4:15 - 5pm Reptile Isle** Snakes/Lizards/Turtles

5 - 5:20pm NW BMX Stunt Team Amazing Bike Trick Show

5:30 - 6pm
Eric Haines
Comedic Juggler & Musician

6 — 7pm Brian Waite Family Music

7 — 7:20pm NW BMX Stunt Team Amazing Bike Trick Show

7:30 — 8pm
Eric Haines
Comedic Juggler & Musician

# TEEN MUSIC NIGHT AT NINTENDO FAMILY STAGE

8 - 8:25pm
Whitney Ballen
Acoustic guitar singer/songwriter

8:40 - 9:05pm Sicily Crypt Redmond's own all-girl teen band

9:20-10pm
Holy Ghost Revival
Retro Seattle folk-rock/classic band

# **BICYCLES**

2-8:30pm
Derby Days Bicycle Criterium

2pm Juniors Races

3:15pm Kiddies Race (all kids welcome for one lap)

3:30-8:45pm Men's and Women's Races

10am-8pm Bike Check-in

11am-3pm Bike Skillz and Thrillz

# FIREWORKS FINALE

On City Hall Campus 10pm





# MUSIC

t the Microsoft Entertainment Stage, performances of nine different musical groups will begin at 11:30am. This year's line-up includes some great new groups such as Top 40 Dance Band Pop Culture, Rock n' Roll Fiddler Geoffrey Castle, 80's pop band Spazmatics, disco show group Afrodisiacs and classic rock n' roll The Machine. Returning this year are some of the very best bands from last year, including the show band Big Dog Revue, Northwest club band Soul'd Out and rockin' blues band New Blues Brothers.

The New Blues Brothers, a Northwest favorite for two decades, will perform hits from the 50's, 60's and 70's. The upbeat nine member band has shared stages with Merrilee Rush, Chuck Berry, Little Richard, Bo Didly, BTO, Tony Bennett, Mel Torme, Stevie Wonder, The Association, Ray

Charles, The Four Tops and Manhattan Transfer. Based on the legendary Blues Brothers band fronted by John Belushi and Dan Akroyd, the New Blues Brothers reminds audiences of just how fun Belushi and Akroyd were in the movie Animal House and inspires them to get up and dance!



# **BEER & WINE GARDEN**

Sponsored and staffed by Beck's Steak and Seafood Restaurant. All proceeds benefit Derby Days. Enjoy a cool beverage while relaxing in the best seat in the house. Located between the Microsoft Main Stage and the Criterium race route, you'll enjoy fabulous music with the rush of the bikes racing by.

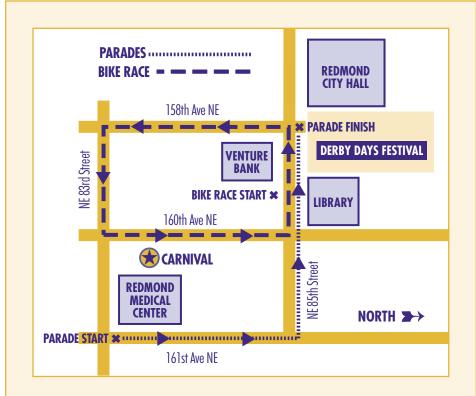
# FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT

he Nintendo Family Stage, 12noon - 8pm, will feature music, jugglers, clowns, magicians, science shows, cycling tricks and balloon artists. Comedic juggler/musician/ cyclist Eric Haines, always a crowd pleaser, will emcee. Haines offers up a mix of comedy, rock music, dance and theatrics guaranteed to delight all ages. Zoologist Don Riggs of Reptile Isle will present an interactive show with snakes, gators and more, along with the largest tortoise in the Northwest for kids to ride.

Also included will be the popular Northwest BMX Stunt Team - professional daredevils performing stunts on BMX bikes usually only seen in video games. This professional bicycle stunt team always thrills and captivates its audience.

# NEW! TEEN MUSIC NIGHT

8 – 10pm Retro Seattle folk-rock/classic band Holy Ghost Revival will headline the program.



#### **PARKING AND SHUTTLES**

Choose a convenient parking location and catch the free and frequent shuttle to the event site.

- City of Redmond new parking garage floors 3 and 4, 8703 160th Avenue. Shuttle stop front of Redmond Senior Center
- Redmond Town Center, 16495 NE 74th Street. Shuttle stop at centercourt
- Old Redmond Schoolhouse Community Center, 16600 NE 80th Street. Shuttle stop on 166th
- Redmond Park & Ride, 161st Ave NE and NE 83rd St.
   Note: City Hall visitor lot closes July 7th after 12 noon.

#### **ROAD CLOSURES**

#### Before and during parades

- NE 85th St from 154th Ave NE to 164th Ave NE
- NE 83rd St from 158th Ave NE to 164th Ave NE
- 158th, 160th and 161st Ave NE from 8200 to 8600 block

#### After parades

- NE 85th Street from 154th Ave NE to 161st Ave NE
- NE 83rd Street from 158th Ave NE to 161st Ave NE







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#### **MORE DERBY DAYS SANCTIONED EVENTS**

#### **REDMOND FARMERS MARKET**

Date: Saturday, July 8 • Time: 9am-3pm Location: 7730 Leary Way, Redmond

Info: 425-556-0636

www.redmonds at urday market.homestead.com

#### **RED-SPOKE**

Date: July 12-16

Location: Redmond to Spokane (300 miles)

recreation touring bicycle ride.

Info: 206-298-9288, www.redspoke.org

#### **DERBY DAYS BASEBALL TOURNAMENT**

Redmond Select Baseball Club hosts three youth baseball tournaments.

Date: July 14-16, 21-23, 28-30

Location: Hartman Park

Info: Paul Acker at 425-269-0582

#### REDMOND DERBY DAYS FRIDAY NIGHT RACING

Free Kids Race - Ages 2-12 with bike and helmet

Date: Friday, July 7 • Time: 7:30-10pm

Location: Group Health Velodrome, Marymoor Park

Price: \$4 adults, kids under 16 free

Info: 206-957-4555, www.velodrome.org

For more information www.redmond.gov or call the events hotline at 425-556-2299.